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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing are the following papers relating to the above-referenced patent application:

- (1) Specification (28 pages);
- (2) Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- (3) Formal drawings (15 sheets);
- (4) Assignment;
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